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BIG FAILURE IN CALIFORNIA.

The Great Commission Firm of William T. Coleman & Co. Makes an Assignment. SAN FRANCISCO, May 7 .- The wholesale commission house of Wm. T. Coleman & Co. made an assignment to-day to L. L. Baker and Louis Sices for the benefit of their creditors. Frank S. Johnson, managing partner of the firm, submitted a statement to the effect that the firm was unable to realize upon its assets immediately, and in view of pressing engagements in New York, where a call upon them for money was urgent, they decided to make an assignment in order to prevent the dissipation of their property. Mr. Johnson places the assets of the firm at from \$4,000,000 to \$4,500,000, and the liabilities at \$2,000,000. The indebtedness in California, with the exception of a number of small amounts, is confined to four banks and two individuals. Mr. Johnson further states that among the most valuable assets of the firm is a borax deposit, a property which is valued at \$2,000,000, negotiabe consummated when the announcement of the tariff bill placing borax on the free list tended to defeat the efforts in that direction. The firm feels confident that the resources are sufficient to more than meet all engagements. The banks mentioned as creditors are the Bank of California, the Bank of British Columbia, the Nevada Bank, and the Bank of British North America. The firm is indebted to the Bank of California to the amount of \$190,000, of which \$130,000 is Bank of British Columbia \$100,000, the Nevada Bank, \$220,000, and the Bank of British North America, \$100,000. It is stated that of the whole amount of Coleman & Co.'s indebtedness, one-half is in this State and the other half in the East, the greater part of the latter being held by New England banks. The assignments made to-day were made by both the firm and Wm. T. Coleman as an individual. The foundation of the firm of Wm. T. Coleman dates back to 1849, since which time the house has taken a foremost place in the business interests of the coast. The house has agencies in Astoria, Oregon, New York, Chicago and London. It also acts as agent for a large number of manufacturing and producing establishments, and for the principal salmon canneries of the Pacific coast. The shipping department is agent for several lines of clipper ships to and from Australia, China and other ports. The business of

Other Failures.

the firm is said to amount to \$14,000,000 per

DETROIT, Mich., April 7 .- Martin Brothers, dry goods dealers, of Port Huron, to-day, assigned. The liabilities are \$50,000. The failure was caused by that of Root, Strong & Co., of CHICAGO, May 7.-C. J. Kershaw & Co., who failed for \$1,800,000 in the wheat panie last June, now offer their creditors twenty cente on

the dollar. It is believed the offer will be ac-GREENSBURG, Ind., May 7.—Ignatz Kammer-ling, a butcher and stockdealer doing business in this city, made an assignment to W. A. | the abdomen. The barkeeper, Sam Titley, has

Fish Killed by Artesian Water. ATLANTA, Ga., May 7.—The United States fish commission car reached this city to-day, when a singular incident occured. Change of water was found neccessary, and artesian water was supplied. Inside of an hour, 65,000 young fish were dead and near 3,000,000 eggs are suppeared to be killed. pened to be killed.

WHEN INDICATIONS.

TUESDAY-Warmer; rain, followed in the western portion of the State by fair weather.

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Penang Cloth, 124c.
Plaid India Linen, 10c.

45-inch Swiss Flounce, 44c. 45-inch Black Lace Flounce, \$1. The best 4-button Embroidered Kid Glove we have ever shown for 75c. All the new

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COLLISION AT SEA.

Supposed Loss of the Steamer Eureka and Crew-The Story Told by Capt. Aikenhead.

NORFOLK, Va., May 7 .- The British steamer Benison, Captain Aikenhead, from Matanzas to Philadelphia, was towed here to-day in distress, and reports being in collision, yesterday afternoon, shortly after 12 o'clock, during a dense fog, with the steamer Eureka, Captain Ewick, from New York to New Orleans. When the fog lifted, about half an hour afterward, the Eureka was nowhere in sight, and it is feared she was sunk. After the collision there was the sound of escaping steam and one whistle. The Benison's bow was badly stove in, and she would have sunk but for her water-tight compartments. The Eureka is a large freight boat, and carries no passengers. Her erew, all told, numbers thirty-eight persons. The collision occurred 168 miles southeast of Cape Henlopen. The Benison struck the Eureka square amidships. The captain of the Benison says he had stopped his ship shortly before the collision to take soundings. The fog lifting, he started at a very slow speed, and his ship was swinging around when the Eureka came down upon him at full speed, the fog in the meanwhile having grown dense again. The hole in the Benison's bow is an ugly one, and when the collision occurred the rush of water carried away everything in the forecastle. There are nineteen inches of water in the Benison's second compartment and she is now lying on the bottom here in a sinking condition. Captain Aikenhead says the weather Sunday morning was alternately fair and foggy At 12 o'clock the fog was so dense that he could not take observations, and ne took soundings to ascertain his position. After taking soundings, and while the ship was going at slow speed he went below to look at the chart. He heard his ship give one whistle, and hurried on deck. The mate told him a vessel was on the port bow. He gave the proper signal and ordered the helm to port, when two blasts from the approaching steamer caused him to starboard his helm, and as his vessel was awinging around the unknown ship loomed up through the fog and came down upon him at full speed. His bow struck her side. Before the unknown ship was lost to sight in the fog the mate read her name, "Eureka." The Benison lay to, and when the fog lifted, in about half an hour, the Eureka was not to be seen. It has been suggested the Eureks might have been hidden by the fog then lying some miles to the south of the Benison, but this is thought impossible, as the Eureka was struck in her most vital part. The Benison would have sunk at once but for her water-tight compartments. The Benison was towed inside the capes by the steamship Hudson, from New York to New Orleans, and brought here by a tug to-day.

Another Vessel Sunk. London, May 7 .- The British steamer Garnne, from London, for Sydney, N. S. W., has arrived at Aden. Her bows are stove. She was in collision with the British steamer Lucinda. The latter vessel sank. The disaster occurred in latitude eighteen degrees north, longitude forty-eight degrees east. The Lucinda was a vessel of 1,132 tons burden. She was last reported at Colombo, from Akyab.

The British steamer Egyptian Monarch, from New York for London, has arrived at Falmouth with a hole in her bow, which was caused by striking floating wreckage off the Scilly islands. Her forecompartment is full of water.

WICHITA. Kan., May 7 .- A strange atmos herical phenomenon was witnessed at Maize west of this city, yesterday. A storm cloud burst and extended over a space, parallelogram in form, about 500 yards wide and one mile in length. For half an hour the rain came down

A Kansas Cloud-Burst.

in torrents. The heavens were black and a darkness almost equal to that of night covered the entire area. People ran frightened from their homes, many crying that the end of the world had come. Maize is situated on the south ank of the Arkansas river, and the streets were turned into rivers, which, fortunately, found outlets into the Arkansas. An eye witness describes the rain as coming down in torrents, washing away a number of houses and moving others from foundations. A house in which a family named Rockby lived was picked up by he floods and carried into the Arkansas river. where it sank, drowning Rockby, his wife and two children. A number of parrow escapes are reported. The water from the cloud seemed to come straight down, and could not have been thicker had it found its source from a lake in the air. The bodies of she Rockby family have not yet been recovered. The amount of damage will be very large. A great many head of horses

and cattle were drowned. Murder on Board an Excursion Steamer. MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 7.-A difficulty ocas an excursion steamer between Memphis at Jackson Mound Park, a pleasure retreat four miles below the city, which resulted in the killing, of Martin Moore, the captain. The cause of the trouble was a disagreement be-tween those who had charge of the steamer. Eph Reeves and W. I. McCowan are charged with the murder of Captain Moore. It is alleged Reeves cut him three times in the head with a butcher knife and McCowan shot him in Moore, to-day. Assets, about \$5,000; liabilities, about \$6,000. His principal creditors reside in this city. Cause of the failure, depression in Exchange streets, and Reeves and McCowan trade.

The Coming Gettysburg Reunico.

New York, May 7.—The executive committee engaged in preparing for a reunion of the survivors of the armies, both federal and confederate, engaged in the battle of Gettysburg, report that all trunk railroads have agreed upon a uniform rate of I cent a mile to and from Gettysburg.

SLOWLY CHOKING TO DEATH

That Appears to Be a Correct Statement of Emperor Frederick's Condition,

Notwithstanding the Pact that His Phylcians Report Him Stronger and Fresher-An Increase of Uneasiness in Berlin.

An Irish Revolt Likely to Follow an Attempt at Enforcing the Papal Decree.

Boulanger's Book Accepted as an Invitation to the Army to Assist Him in a Projected Coup d'Etat-General Foreign News.

THE GERMAN EMPEROR.

Physicians Say He Is Stronger, but There Is Reason to Think Such Is Not the Case.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal BERLIN, May 7 .- The official bulletin issued at 9 o'clock this morning says: "The Emperor has passed a good day. His physicians in consultation agreed that the patient had improved, and he himself said he felt stronger and fresher. The discharge of pus has decreased. The Emperor's temperature at 9 o'clock was 38.6

The unessiness caused by the condition of Emperor Frederick rapidly increases. It is now feared that another crisis is close at hand, and the general opinion is that the renewal of the official bulletins, the issuance of which was declared only yesterday morning to be unnecessary, is intended to prepare the public for the worst. The misleading character of the bulletips may be readily seen in the statement that "the Emperor feels languid," when it is positively known that his physical weakness has reached the stage of complete prostration, and the discharge from his throat has become so copious and thick that the efforts of all of his attendants are directed solely toward preventing him from choking to death, with the chances of

prolonged success very much against them. The Emperor's fever continues low, showing that no fresh abcess is forming. Dr. Mackenzie induces him to take necessary food, but his weakness is becoming serious. He had refreshing naps this afternoon. This evening he emphasized the remark that he felt stronger by clenching his fist vigorously and stretching and withdrawing his arm.

THE POPE'S RESCRIPT.

An Attempt to Enforce It Likely to Result in a Big Revolt,

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. DUBLIN, May 7 .- Signs are rapidly accumulating throughout Ireland that an attempt to enforce the Pope's decree will cause an almost unanimous revolt of the laity of the country against the church, and it is now doubtful whether the Irish hierarchy will promulgate the document without having recourse to further communication with the Vatican as to the wisdom of putting it into operation.

Mr. Dillon, in a speech at Drogheda, to-day, strongly resented the Pope's interference with politics. His remarks elicited expressions of dissent from his extreme views from several

priests who were present.

A telegram from Rome reports that, in consequence of the defiant attitude of the leaders of the National Lesgue, Mgr. Persico has been instructed to obtain from the Irish bishops declarations of their views upon the papal rescript. These observations, when received, will be submitted to the Congregation of the Propaganda.

Mr. Thos. Joseph Condon, member of Parliament, who was arrested for offenses under the ment, who was arrested for offenses under the crimes act, was to-day convicted on the charge of participating in an unlawful assembly and sentenced to two weeks' imprisonment without hard labor. The hearing on the other charges against him was adjourned.

BOULANGER'S BOOK.

It Is Regarded as an Appeal for Support in a Projected Coup D'Etat. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

LONDON, May 7 .- General Boulanger's book is almost everywhere regarded as a direct appeal to the French army to support him in a p coup d'etat, and it is now seen that the rei- 18 instituted by him while Minister of War. whereby the French soldier came into possession of comforts and the exercise of privileges heretofore denied him, were conceived and put into operation with the same ulterior view. Boulanger has organized an extensive political bureau, under the management of Count Dillon, who, having entirely severed his connection with the Mackay-Bennett transatlantic cable interests, will devote his whole time to the propagation of Boulangerist doctrines. Count Dillon has industed several of his former cable employes into the bureau in the capacity of assistants, and the machinery of that part of the General's political system may be regarded as fairly in motion.

General Boulanger has been elected municipal councilor for Tulle by the spontaneous action of the workmen in the arms factory there, al of whom voted for the General, independent of

the electoral committees. BERLIN POLICEMEN.

The Sort of Men that Make Up the "Force" of the German Capital.

The German police are, in effect, a wing of the German army. Every man in the force is a trained soldier, disciplined by service in the ranks or as a commissioned officer. The Berlin police number about 5,000 men. The chief of this force, or president, as he is there called. ranks as an army colonel. There are 18 captains and 138 lieutenants, who rank correspondingly with army captains and lieutenants, and receive higher pay. There are 301 sub, or non-commissioned officers, and over 4,000 privates. Then there are one first secretary, five assistants, ten councilors, twenty chiefs of precincts or department clerks, forty-five assistants, twenty-five cashiers or book-keepers, and 172 bureau employes or laborers. A private in the police must first have served nine years in the army and received honorable discharge. After a certain period of police service officers and privates are retired and pensioned. This is but one of several rewards offered the German poiceman for good behavior and efficient service. The Berlin police on duty are like statues, silent and immovable. They stand in the middle of the streets or sit on horses, apparently like machines, and oblivious to everything but their own line of performance. But there is very little information desired by the ordinary mortal not to be obtained from the Berlin po iceman for the asking. He will not be aware of your existence unless you accost him with an inquiry. Then he is all attention, intelligence and civility. Speak to him in English and he will immediately answer in German, at the same time interpreting, with his hands and eyes, until you are sure to comprehend and learn all you want to know. The policemen are as neat in person and well uniformed as the army. The

detective branch of police wear the civilian No stranger, man or woman, enters Berlin and stops twenty-four hours who is not registered by the police. It is easy to look up the person if at a hotel, where he is asked to register his name, residence, birthplace, occupation, destination, and whether he travels for pleasure or on business, and the nature of his pleasure or on business, and the nature of his business. If the person is not ready about giving this information he is asked for his passport. In the bearding-houses, most of them kept by women, the police officer asks the landledy to furnish this information about her boarders. Every bearding-house is visited on an average of once a week by a police officer in civilian dress. There is a quiet, formal politemess about these visits that goes far to divest them of all semblance of intrusion or inquisitiveness. But there is also an authoritative ceremony not to be misunderstood. This system of surveillance is no disadvantage to the

ordinary honest stranger. Not only could he not get lost in Berlin, but he could not lose his friends there either. One has only to go to police headquarters to learn the whereabouts of every non-resident visitor or stranger in Berlin.

GENERAL FOREIGN NEWS.

Austria's Angry Legislators Indulge in Another Exchange of Invectives.

VIENNA, May 7 .- Despite the appeal of President Smolka, of the Unterhaus, that the Deputies refrain from using abusive language in debate, the sittings of Saturday and to-day were characterized by hot exchanges of invective. Deputy Turk, a prominent member of the anti-Semitic party, was accused, during the debate, of having undergone prosecution for indecency. He immediately challenged his accuser to a duel. An inquiry into the charge was made during Herr Turk's absence from the Chamber. President Smolka, in rebuking the Chamber for investigating the charge in the absence of the accused, characterized the style of the debate as brutal, and declared that henceforth he would use severely his rights as President.

Anti-Semitic Demonstration. VIENNA, May 7.-After the adjournment of the court to-day in the case of Deputy Von-Schenerer, the leader of the anti-Semitic movement, who is charged with assaulting the editors of the Neue Wiener Tageblatt, a crowd of partisans drew the defendant to his home in a carriage, singing, "Die Wacht am Rhein" and other national songs. Last evening a hostile demonstration was made in front of the Tageblatt office, and a guard of police had to be placed around the building.

A Pest of Crickets. Paris, May 7 .- A visitation of crickets is devastating Aigeria. Vegetation is totally destroyed, and the dead bodies of the insects have poisoned the ground, to the imminent danger of swarming that the progress of railway trains between Baatna and Constantine has been impeded by their settling upon the track and covering it completely.

Dom Pedro's Illuess.

MILAN, May 7 .- The Emperor of Brazil is suffering from inflammation of the kidneys. He is attended by Dr. Verga, of Milan; Dr. Semmola, of Naples, and Dr. Charcol, of Paris.

Foreign Notes. The condition of the Egyptian cotton crop is A son of the late M. Katkoff, who is making a

tour of Switzerland, was robbed of jewelry worth 3,000 pounds in the Geneva railway sta-Mr. Spurgeon has returned to London from Bournemouth, where he was visiting for his health, and resumed his services at the Taber-

nacle. He is stronger. The Marquis of Londonderry, Lord-lieutenant of Ireland, was received by the Queen at Windsor yesterday, when her Majesty conferred upon him the Order of the Garter.

Several French notables, including Deputy Faure, left Paris on Friday to attend the inaugural ceremonies of the transcaspian railway, which is to be opened the last part of the month. The hearing of the matter of the extradition of Alice Woodhall, who is wanted in New York to answer for having defrauded the aged and confiding Mr. Gill, five years ago, will be had next week. Counsel on both sides are making elaborate preparations for the argument ar hard fight is expected.

THE LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

The New Michigan Law Goes Into Effect-Disgraceful Scene at Owesso.

DETROIT, Mich., May 7 .- The new liquor law which has been voted on by most of the counties the State went into effect to-day. Most the saloons in the counties that went dry are closed. The others have been turned into aft-drink saloons, billard-rooms and restaurants. At Owosso a drunken mob took possession of the streets, Saturday night, and the officers were powerless. A bonfire was started. amid the howling of the mot the fire bell rang, which caused great excitement. Men paraded streets ringing dinnerbells and the drunken rabble kept up the din until Sunday morning. A fine plate-glass window was smashed and several bloody fights took place. All was quiet to-day. At Adrian, twenty-one of the thirty-one saloons in the city which were open last Monday were open to-day. Some sold soft drinks only, while a few did business just as usual, only a little more carefully. fully. The two brewers have stopped manu-

The Ohio Sunday-Closing Law. CINCINNATI, May 7 .- Judge Caldwell, of the Police Court, to-day sustained the demurrer to the plea in abstement filed by the counsel for Mungebrock, a saloon-keeper who is charged with keeping his saloon open on Sunday. The plea was based on the allegation that the law was not properly enacted. The court found that the law was enacted in due form. The defense then demanded a jury, and the case was set for 3 o'clock this a fternoon. At that hour the case was called, but a jury was not secured, and a special venire was ordered for Tuesday.

Warrants were issued to-day for 147 person who yesterday violated the Owen law, and all who were arrested gave bond. Mayor Smith intimates that he may change his policy next Sunday by arresting at once all who open their

No More Sunday Beer to St. Louis. Sr. Louis, May 7 .- The Supreme Court to day rendered a decision declaring that the city ordinance of 1857, under which the saloons o this city were permitted to sell beer and wine on Sunday, was not legally adopted when the people voted on it, and that it is therefore null and void. Under this ordinance the saleon-keepers got to selling liquors as well as wine and beer, and out of this state of affairs grew a temperance agitation which kept the city in an almost constant ferment. This is now ended. and the Sunday liquor law question is finally settled. Under the decision the Downing liq-

nor law applies to St. Louis as well as to other parts of the State, and the police authorities will at once take measures to enforce the law. It may, therefore, be stated that there will be no more open saloons or beer gardens in St. Louis on Sunday.

The Saloon Must Go.

PHILADELPHIA, May 7 .- In the application for an alternative writ of mandamus upon the judges of the License Court to show cause why they should not grant a license to W. A. Radenbush, the State Supreme Court, this morning, refused the writ. This was looked upon as a test case by the thousands of saloon-keepers who have been refused licenses, and many of them have entertained the hope that their applications would be reconsidered and licenses granted them. The decision of the Supreme Court to-day removes all probability of reconsideration in the case of applicants refused. After June 1 there will be about 1,200 saloons in the city, while at present there are about 6,500.

Tramps Attempt to Rob Travelers. ST. Louis, May 7.—About a dozen tramps boarded a Chicago & Alton suburban train, at Bridge Junction, a short distance from the relay depot, in East St. Louis, between 1 and 2, o'clock this morning and undertook to rob the passengers, but the conductor rallied the train crew, and after something of a tussle ejected the ruffians and the train proceeded. No property was secured by the tramps, but the pas-sengers were pretty badly scared. Three of the loafers were subsequently arrested and locked

Light Sentence for Bigamy. BALTIMORE, Md., May 7 .- Dr. Wm. F. Young, who committed bigamy a month ago in marrying Miss Aimes Carey, the postess, was to-day sentenced to sixteen months in the penitentiary. Dr. Young's defence was that he had wrecked his will power by the intemperate use of chloral.
Mrs. Young pleaded for mercy for her husband,
and said she believed that he was not responsible for his acts. Owing to the pleading of the

ing their wares. All the dismissed cupils had collections of the photographic advertisements, and the fact was disclosed that the value of each picture was greatest in its possessor's estimation where the draperies least interfered with a comprehensive anatomical exhibit. The matter has creat A the greatest amount of consternation among parents and guardians, and it is quite probable that if any law exists by which these pictures can be driven out of the reach of the public it will be rigidly enforced. If not, the Legislature will be called upon to enact one covering the evil and remedying it.

BLAINE AND CONKLING.

A Nashville Paper Tells Will the Latter Did Not Support the Former in 1884. NASHVILLE, Tenu., May 7 .- The American, to-morrow, will publish an interview with A. M. Hughes, jr., chairman of the Republican State executive committee, regarding the failure of Roscoe Conkling to actively support James G. Blaine in the last presidential canvaes. Mr. Hughes gives these facts, never before made public. In brief, Mr. Hughes said that soon after Mr. Blaine was nominated, Senator Chaffee, the father-iu-law of U. S. Senator Chaffee, the father-in-law of U. S. Grant, jr., and one of the foremost Republicans in the West, realizing the importance of securing the assistance of Mr. Conkling for Mr. Blaine in New York, came East and went to New York for that especial purpose; that Senator Chaffee, as the result of a prolonged and earnest conference with Mr. Conkling, secured from him the promise that if Mr. Blaine would write him a personal letter requesting his assistance that he (Mr. Conkling) would reply in an open letter with a pledge to actively support him in the canvass; that Senator Chaffee, enthused at his success with Mr. Conkling, got on the first train which left New York after this pledge was given by him and went to see Mr. Blaine at his home in Maine. The situation was explained, and Mr. Blaine The situation was explained, and Mr. Blaine promptly wrote the desired letter to Mr. Conkling. This letter was given to Walker Blaine to be carried by him in person to Mr. Conkling as a delicate compliment, and Senator Chaffee, rejoiced that his mission was done, and disappeared from the scene. He anxiously awaited the publication of the response from Mr. Conkling, but it never came. Investigation proved that Mr. Blaine carried the letter to New York, but on his way to Mr. Conkling's house stopped at the national Republican headquarters, men-tioning the purpose of his presence in New York to Stephen B. Eikins, B. F. Jones, chairman of the Republican national executive committee and one or two others. These managers decided that it was best to ignore Conkling and the letter must not reach him. Accordingly it was suppressed, and the world knows the re-sult. The animosity of Mr. Conkling was intensified at the additional affront, and Blaine lost New York. Mr. Hughes was positive that these statements were correct, for they came directly from one of the gentlemen who suppressed the letter. This man revealed the circumstance after the death of Conkling and when it was not thought that Blaine would go

before the next convention. Sheridan Declines to Talk Politics. CHICAGO, May 7 .- General Sheridan arrived in Chicago this morning and paid a visit to General Crook, the new department commander. The General said that there was no special significance attached to his visit here at this time, as it was his custom to come to the head-

quarters of the Department of the Missouri at "How about the presi---"Tut, tut; I am General of the army, not a politician. If you want to talk politics you should go to a politician. I know nothing about

General Sheridan said that as far as he knew there would be no material change in the personnel of the department.

Instructed for Alger.

DETROIT, Mich., May 7 .- Fourth district Republicans this afternoon chose Bishop E. An drews and Col. T. M. Ward delegates to the national convention and instructed them for

Wm. A. Coombes and Charles E. Townsend were elected delegates to the national convention by the Republicans of the Third district to day. They were instructed for Alger.

THE FIRE RECORD,

Princeton, Ind., Suffers to the Extent of \$13,000-Presbyterian Church Destroyed. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PRINCETON, Ind., May 7.-A serious fire occurred at this place about 10 o'clock this morning. The fire originated in a small stable owned by W. L. Snapp, and rapidly spread, and before the fire company could get it under control the residence of Rev. J. E. Jenkins, the large livery stable of George Agniels, and the large, new Cumberland Presbyterian Church were destroyed. The losses and insurance are as follows: Rev. J. E. Jenkins, loss \$1,800; insured in the West Chester of New York for \$1,250. George Agniels, loss \$1,500; insured in the Phenix of Brooklyn, N. Y., for \$1,000. Cumberland Presbyterian Church, loss \$9,000; insured in the Phenix of Brooklyn, N. Y., for \$1,000. W. L.

Snapp, loss \$300; no insurance. Other Fires.

New York. May 7 .- The barrel and case factory of Lombard & Ayres, on Shooter's sland, and a large quantity of lumber of the Seaboard Lumber Company, were burned to-night. Loss, \$200,000. The Standard Oil Company controls both the concerns, and is the

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 7.-Alexander Mc-Callaum's block, at Northampton, was gutted

by fire at midnight. Loss \$25,000.

Natural Gas Profits at Pittsburg.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. PITTSBURG, May 7 .- The fourth annual meeting of the Philadelphia Natural-gas Company, in this city, to-day, was largely attended. The financial statement for March 31, 1888, shows the total assets to be \$9,668,189.49, on which there exists an indebtedness of \$1,176,157.73, the sum of \$992,031.76 in excess of capital and debt having been paid out of the earnings. The earnings for the past year amounted to \$1,709.702.74; the operating expenses, rents, interest
and taxes were equal to 46.65 per cent. of earnings. Dividends at the rate of 1 per cent. have been paid monthly, amounting to \$842,626.50, leaving an undistributed surplus for the year of \$172,015.56. The company is supplying with gas 791 manufactories and 22,916 dwellings. The

BALTIMORE, Md., May 7.—Cardinal Gibbons to-day received intelligence of the death of

present board of managers was re-elected.

Archbishop J. S. Alemany, late of San Francisco, at Valencia, Spain. He died April 14. The Archbishop was a native of Spain, and was seventy-five years old. He resigned his func-tions as archbishop of San Francisco in 1884, and went abroad for the benefit of his health. SHELBYVILLE, May 7 .- Fielding Gardner, prominent farmer living near Manilla, died very suddenly at 5 o'clock this morning, aged eighty

three years. Yesterday he was in usual health He was one of the pioneers of the county. GREENSBURG, Ind., May 7 .- Mrs. S. H. Caskey died last evening. She was somewhat cele-brated as a florist, but has been unable to give the business attention for nearly two years.

Sudden Death of Two Sisters. Sr. Louis, May 7.-Mrs. Anna F. Eisenbarth was walking through her residence yesterday

morning, when she suddenly fell to the floor an expired before assistance arrived. After a physician had examined the prostrate body and pronounced life extinct, one of the family went to the residence of Mrs. Mary Holtman, sister of the unfortunate woman, and notified her of her sister's sudden death. Mrs. Holtman hurriedly prepared for a visit to the grief-stricken house hold. She arrived at the house in a short time, and after glancing at her dead sister she fell prostrate on the floor and died in a short time.

CRICAGO, May 7 .- Judge Gresham, in the federal court, to-day, rendered a decision of interest to confectioners throughout the United States when he ruled that the Hammerschlag

Important to Confectioners.

patents for waxed paper covered only such paper as is made by machinery. Hammerschlag sought to restrain Frederick A. Wichelman from an alleged infringement of the waxed-paper patent. Judge Gresham held that Wichelman's paper, having been made by hand, there was no infringement, and dismissed Hammerschlag's hill merschlag's bill.

President Barnard Resigns. NEW YORK, May 7.—President F. A. P. Bar-sard, of Columbia College, has resigned on ac-count of failing health.

INGALLS VOORHEES RUMPUS

After a Week's Retirement the Indians

Statesman Reappears in the Senate.

His Priends Say He Will Not Apologize, and Will Renew His Attack on Ingalls at a

Place Where the Latter Cannot Reply.

Counsel for the People's Telephone Company Petition for a Rehearing.

The Senate Discusses the Animal-Industry Bill and the House Passes the River and Harbor Bill-Other Washington News.

VOORHEES AND INGALLS.

The Former Reappears—His Friends Say Ha Will Again Attack the Kassan.

special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, May 7 .- Senator Voorhees reappeared in his seat in the Senate for a short time to-day. He is not looking well and says he is suffering excruciating pain from a carbuncle on his leg. It is announced by this evening's papers that Senator Voorhees is preparing another attack on Senator Ingalls, to be delivered before the Indiana Democratic Association of this city, when it gives him a reception at its hall on the 17th instant. His friends say he does not intend to make any explanation or apology, or to modify the language he used in the debate with Senator Ingalls. This will relieve the later from any responsibility, and will just my in mediate publication, in the Congressional Record, of his entire speech, which he has withheld for the purpose of accommodating the Indiana Senator in any respect he might desire in the way of expunging the entire controversy from the

A Review of the Recent Encounter.

Washington Special to New York Press. Before the smoke of the Senate duel is out of sight it may be worth while to call attention to the moral that a man gains something occasionally by at least trying to act as a gentleman. Mr. Ingalls when he started the fight knew his man thoroughly. He made his first speech with the most admirable judgment, cutting Mr. Voorhees just once, but leaving the sting where he knew it would make a man who considered "liar" and "scoundrel" as fine bits of repartee

show his breeding to the big audience. And the plan worked more successfully than he expected. Voorhees, who is big, puffy, well supplied with self conceit and at least thirty years behind modern civilization, got up to crush him with the kind of a stump speech which worked in Indiana in the times before the war. He began by looking down on him contemptuously in the kind of rhetoric that is known as withering sarcasm. "Mr. Ingalis," he said, "was more incidental to my remarks than protection is to a tariff for revenue. Why," with an awful frown, "should I assail nim? He has not been alive politically since the 6th of March last," and " the only criticism I have seen in the press of the country in regard to my remarks of last Wednesday, alluding to the Senator from Kansas, has been that I galvanized

the corpse," and so on. Every word was a personal belittling of Mr. Ingalis, an announcement that so great a man as the Indiana Senator could hold no controversy with him and a very often repeated remark that the Senator from Kansas was a political corpse. Added to this was the wild exuberance of denial which regarded slanders as "old stale, putrid and rotton" and "so base and infamous that the black walls of perdition cannot repeat them with impunity." That sort of talk was really the whole of the Senator's speech and it was no match for the affidavits of citizens more respectable than himself and for the testimony of his own handwriting and the oaths of

stenographers as to the correct reports of his It is an unpleasant thing to say about a member of the United States Senate, but it is unfortunately a fact that he denied charges which any court in the country would have decided true, and that he added to the denials epithets of "liar" and "scoundrel" to the man who made

People who think they are a sufficient answer to affidavits are justified in regarding Mr. Voor-hees as victor in the debate, but the majority of people, who prefer arguments or facts, will consider him the worst thrashed man that ever left the Senate chamber. If he had had the good fortupe to meet Mr. Ingalls's charges as any other Senator would have done, Mr. Ingalls at least would not have had the opportunity to say that in a police court he would have been sent to the rock pile for being drunk and disorderly. Mr. Eustis and Mr. Gibson replied to Mr. Ingalls without the slightest loss of self respect, but Mr. Voorbees could not do it. No charge that was made against him was half so severe ag

the self-proven one that he would mistake the United States Senate for a bar-room. As to Mr. Ingalis's share of the debate, while its taste was questionable when he knew so well the character of his antagonist, it had the excuse of very serious provocation. For an associate of Vallandigham, Thompson and other men who had not the manliness to fight inside the rebel lines to appear as the defender of Mo-Clellan, Hancock and the Union soldiers was a spectacle to call the mackest loyal man in the

When he added to that a personal attack on augalls, who, if not very prominent in the war, Was at least loyal, he invited everything he got. The fight, too, it must be remembered, was not disgraceful because of anything Ingails said, but because of the bar-room epithets he got in re-turn. Mr. Voorhees grandiloquently asked for the fight and he got too much of it. Ingalls was only wrong in not picking out some stronger, abler and steadier man for his attack.

The result of the fight, while it marks the complete overthrow of Voorhees as a Senator, merely calls public attention to the fact, which has been understood here for years, that be no longer had the ability to compete with the younger, brainier, better educated men who have pushed themselves into the seats around im. His great strength has always been in his strong use of telling adjectives and the striking, egotistic way of putting them out, which nearly made it impossible for the ordinary man to get behind them to question their

When his speeches are read and dissected it becomes evident that the adjectives have very little to hang to and their effect is lost. Mr. Voorh ees's Democratic constituents, however, were not in the habit of making deep researches in rhetoric, and the speeches pleased them until the Senator's natural egotism got away with him completely. He knocked a backwoods antagonist out of sight with his battery of adjecting tives, and he unwisely concluded that he would crush out the Senator in the same way.

His speeches were not successful, but he was not the kind of a man to find that out, and for at least five years he has been lying back in his seat, convinced that nobody replied to his few speeches because everybody was afraid of him. If he had had judicious friends they would have told him that Ingalls and Hoar and Sherman and Edmunds only raisly took the trouble to tives, and that the reason they had not respond ed was because he had said nothing for them to

So he went on in luxurious ignorance until logalis, looking around for an easy victim, see him to digging his own grave. He added to the quaint hu mor of his funeral by announcing deprecatingly that he had consented to galvanize a corpse. Then he disappeared in his sepulcher and the big andience held their breath while the most successfully galvanized corpse ever exhibited danced a hilarious can-can at his coffin.

not so evident or ostentatious as the arrange ment by which he got ready his own wake in ment by which he got ready his own wake in the Senate, has been doubted by great lawyers for some time. He still has a reputation in Indiana and is supposed by Democrats to know something about constitutional law, but among lawyers, good legal judgment is not alleged to be one of his strong points.

He had one case in Pittaburg some years agohis last one there, I believe—which developed so much of his oratorical style that the lawyers said he forgot his law points altogether. Everybody remembers the shoeting of Cashier Nutt. of